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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: Dorothy Wu  
TETSUNOBU KOCHI ET AL. )  
: Group Art Unit: 2697  
Appln. No.: 09/264,719 )  
: Filed: March 9, 1999 )  
: For: SOLID STATE IMAGE PICKUP )  
: APPARATUS : April 15, 2003

The Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 15, 2003, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows, the specification changes beginning at page 2, the  
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